



WEST LAFAYETTE FIRE DEPARTMENT

300 NORTH STREET

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Ensuring West Lafayette is always a safe and great place to work, live, and play.

DA: 1 July 2018

TO: West Lafayette Common Council

FR: Fire Chief Timothy J. Heath

RE: June 2018 Fire Report

Call Totals: West Lafayette Fire responded to 192 Total Calls in June: 145 Medical, 7 Fire, 4 Hazardous Condition, 12 Service Calls, 6 Good-Intent Calls, 16 False Alarms, 1 Special Incident, and 1 Other, bringing the total yearly number of runs to 1,138.

Training: June training kicked off with a monthly drill on firefighter disorientation. Members practiced the proper way to handle when a firefighter is lost or confused and needs help. Two newly-promoted fire officers took part in a Fire Ground Company Officer class at the Fire Department Training Network. Officers learned how to properly lead under fire conditions and better-communicate with their team. Emergency medical training by Chris Perry from TEAS covered trauma situations and how to handle them on-scene. Six members of the department took part in a three-day class on explosive device emergency response, hosted by the West Lafayette Police Department and Tippecanoe County Bomb Squad, which included live explosive training scenarios and investigations. The month ended with all department personnel completing a state-written test for certification as a Driver/Operator General, a follow-up to last month's Driver/Operator class taught by instructor Keith Burton. Throughout June, each station and shift also took part in various drills and training sessions, including driving practice, map study, truck checks, and pumping and hose line operations which brought the total man hours of training for June to 791.

Inspections: Inspector Molter performed 81 inspections this month. Some of those included inspections at Orange Theory (a new workout facility that is part of the new buildout at the Payless Super Market complex) and The Hub (the city's first high-rise residential building which is nearing completion) along with renovations of the club house at The Quarters on McCormick and the 124 State Street McDonald's, both of which are now complete. Be looking out and UP for the Hub 2 at State and Salisbury, The Rise at Chauncey and State, and Hi Vine Apartments at Vine and Northwestern.

Accolades: On June 15, Firefighters Keith Burton, Sean Mayer, and Nick Wagner rescued a male who jumped off the Harrison Street Bridge into the Wabash River.

Respectfully submitted,

Timothy J. Heath
Fire Chief

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Monthly Incident Counts By Station

Alarm Date Between {01/01/2018} And {06/30/2018}

Station #	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
	5	4	2	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	1.49%
1	62	55	44	47	50	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	303	26.62%
2	91	89	119	95	94	113	0	0	0	0	0	0	601	52.81%
3	48	31	31	36	38	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	217	19.06%

Total Runs by Month											
Jan	206	Feb	179	Mar	196	Apr	181	May	184	Jun	192
Jul	0	Aug	0	Sep	0	Oct	0	Nov	0	Dec	0

Grand Total Runs: 1138

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Incident Type Report (Summary)

Alarm Date Between {06/01/2018} And {06/30/2018}

Incident Type	Count	Pct of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Pct of Losses
	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
1 Fire				
113 Cooking fire, confined to container	3	1.56%	\$1,100	35.48%
140 Natural vegetation fire, Other	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
154 Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
160 Special outside fire, Other	1	0.52%	\$2,000	64.51%
1601 Special outside fire, Mulch	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	7	3.64%	\$3,100	100.00%
3 Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident				
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	111	57.81%	\$0	0.00%
3111 Medical assist, No patient contact	15	7.81%	\$0	0.00%
321 EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with	8	4.16%	\$0	0.00%
322 Motor vehicle accident with injuries	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
323 Motor vehicle/pedestrian accident (MV Ped)	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
324 Motor Vehicle Accident with no injuries	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
363 Swift water rescue	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	145	75.52%	\$0	0.00%
4 Hazardous Condition (No Fire)				
412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
445 Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
5 Service Call				
510 Person in distress, Other	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
531 Smoke or odor removal	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
553 Public service	3	1.56%	\$0	0.00%
554 Assist invalid	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
561 Unauthorized burning	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
	12	6.25%	\$0	0.00%
6 Good Intent Call				
611 Dispatched & cancelled en route	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
671 HazMat release investigation w/no HazMat	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%

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Incident Type	Count	Pct of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Pct of Losses
6 Good Intent Call	6	3.12%	\$0	0.00%
7 False Alarm & False Call				
733 Smoke detector activation due to	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
736 CO detector activation due to malfunction	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
744 Detector activation, no fire -	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
745 Alarm system activation, no fire -	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
746 Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	16	8.33%	\$0	0.00%
9 Special Incident Type				
900 Special type of incident, Other	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%

Total Incident Count: 192

Total Est Loss:

\$3,100

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Property Use Report (Summary)

Alarm Date Between {06/01/2018} And {06/30/2018}

Property Use	Count	Percent of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Percent of Losses
No Property Use Reported	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
100 Assembly				
124 Playground	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
130 Places of worship, funeral parlors, other	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
131 Church, mosque, synagogue, temple, chapel	3	1.56%	\$0	0.00%
160 Eating, drinking places, other	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
161 Restaurant or cafeteria	3	1.56%	\$0	0.00%
162 Bar or nightclub	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
183 Movie theater	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	15	7.81%	\$0	0.00%
200 Educational				
213 Elementary school, including kindergarten	3	1.56%	\$0	0.00%
215 High school/junior high school/middle school	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
300 Health Care, Detention & Correction				
300 Health care, detention, & correction, Other	5	2.60%	\$0	0.00%
311 24-hour care Nursing homes, 4 or more persons	24	12.50%	\$0	0.00%
331 Hospital - medical or psychiatric	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
340 Clinics, doctors offices, hemodialysis cntr, other	9	4.68%	\$0	0.00%
341 Clinic, clinic-type infirmary	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	40	20.83%	\$0	0.00%
400 Residential				
400 Residential, Other	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
419 1 or 2 family dwelling	48	25.00%	\$2,000	64.52%
429 Multifamily dwelling	22	11.45%	\$1,100	35.48%
439 Boarding/rooming house, residential hotels	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
449 Hotel/motel, commercial	3	1.56%	\$0	0.00%

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Property Use	Count	Percent of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Percent of Losses
400 Residential				
459 Residential board and care	12	6.25%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>87</u>	<u>45.31%</u>	<u>\$3,100</u>	<u>100.00%</u>
500 Mercantile, Business				
500 Mercantile, business, Other	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
511 Convenience store	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
519 Food and beverage sales, grocery store	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
539 Household goods, sales, repairs	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
557 Personal service, including barber & beauty shops	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
569 Professional supplies, services	3	1.56%	\$0	0.00%
571 Service station, gas station	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
580 General retail, Other	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
581 Department or discount store	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
599 Business office	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>17</u>	<u>8.85%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>
600 Industrial, Utility, Defense, Agriculture, Mining				
629 Laboratory or science laboratory	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>1</u>	<u>0.52%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>
900 Outside or Special Property				
921 Bridge, trestle	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
946 Lake, river, stream	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
960 Street, Other	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
961 Highway or divided highway	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
962 Residential street, road or residential driveway	4	2.08%	\$0	0.00%
963 Street or road in commercial area	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
965 Vehicle parking area	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
981 Construction site	1	0.52%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>20</u>	<u>10.41%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>
U00				
UUU Undetermined	2	1.04%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>2</u>	<u>1.04%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>

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Training Report June 2018

The busy summer months have come to the West Lafayette Fire Department. Our members are taking part in many training drills and classes this summer. The nice weather has taken hold and everyone is busy around the city. Training started this month with a monthly drill on Firefighter Disorientation, this is where a firefighter is lost or confused and need help. The members practiced how to handle these emergencies and to call for help. This training provided 83 man hours of training on how to save of own.

Two newly promoted Fire Officers from the C and B shifts traveled to the Fire Department Training Network to take part in a Fire Ground Company Officer class. The Fire Officers practiced leadership under fire conditions and learned how to communicate better with a team. The training lasted four days and was hosted at the Fire Department Training Network on the east side of Indianapolis. This training provided 64 man hours of training on leadership on the fire scene.

Emergency medical training for the month of June was instructed by Chris Perry from Tippecanoe County Emergency Ambulance Service. The instructor covered trauma situations and how to handle them on the emergency scene. This EMS training provided 88 man hours for all three shifts of personnel.

Six members of the Fire Department took part in a three day class on responding to an explosive device type emergency. The class was hosted by the West Lafayette Police Department and the Tippecanoe County Bomb Squad. The members in the class took part in live explosive training scenarios and investigations. This very interesting class provided 144 man hours of training for our responders.

All members of the Fire Department took part in a Driver Operator class last month that was taught by instructor Keith Burton. At the end of the month of June each member will complete a state written test for certification as a Driver Operator General. The testing for our members provided 90 hours of training for the Fire Department.

Each station and shift took part in many drills this month that were planned and organized by the members themselves. These drills and training sessions consisted of driving practice, map study, truck checks, pumping, and hose line operations. These training sessions provided 322 man hours of training for our members this month.

At the end of the month of June the Fire Department personnel have completed 791 man hours of training encompassing many different drills and tasks.

Report By:

Lieutenant Eric Doyle

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**West Lafayette Fire Department
Office of the Fire Inspector**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Tim Heath, Fire Chief
FROM: Robert Molter, Fire Inspector
DATE: 29 June 2018
RE: Monthly Activity Report

June started with the opening of a new workout facility called Orange Theroy, it is part of the new build out at the Payless Supermarket complex and is located at the east end of the building between Payless and Centier Bank. The renovation of the club house at The Quarters on McCormick is now complete and also the renovation at 124 state street McDonalds is complete with the Grand opening last week. The Hub is making a big push on finishing construction on the first high rise residential building for our community . Every month is a busy month for the inspection division , 81 inspections for this month . Buildings to be watching on the horizon will be HiVine on Vine and Northwestern , Hub 2 at State and Salisbury and The Rise at Chauncey and State.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Molter
Fire Inspector
West Lafayette Fire Department